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REMARKS

Claims 30 and 32 have been canceled without prejudice. Claims 2-16, 19, 21-24 and 31 were previously canceled. Subsequent to the entry of the present amendment, claims 1, 17-18, 20 and 25-29 are pending and at issue. These amendments add no new matter as they cancel duplicate claims of claim 20.

Additionally, Applicants respectfully acknowledge that the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph regarding the deposit has been withdrawn.

In view of the amendment and above remarks, it is submitted that the claims are in condition for allowance, and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's undersigned representative if there are any questions relating to this application.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this paper. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required by this paper or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. <u>07-1896</u> referencing the above-identified attorney docket number. A duplicate copy of the Transmittal Sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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